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Arizona Corporation Commission

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Utilities Division

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IN THE MATTER OF NAVAJO WATER COMPANY, INC. FILING OF A

CURTAILMENT PLAN TARIFF IN DOCKET NO. W-03511A-04-0905

On December 17, 2004, Navajo Water Company, Inc. ("Company") filed a curtailment plan tariff. The Company is proposing to add a provision for a "reconnection fee for violation" during the mandatory Stage 3, 4 and 5 conditions, when outdoor watering is prohibited. The Company's proposed tariff differs from Staff's general tariff template that is posted on the Commission's website.

On January 20, 2005, in Decision No. 67512, the Commission suspended the tariff filing for a period of ninety days, through and including April 16, 2005. This request was granted so that Staff would have more time to review the application.

Commission Staff has completed its review. However, the Company has requested a suspension in order to file a Water Augmentation Tariff to assist in recovering costs incurred for bulk water purchases and transportation in combination with the curtailment tariff. The Company needs additional time to docket this supplemental augmentation tariff and requests that this filing be suspended for an additional 60 days.

Ernest G. Johnson

Director

Utilities Division

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| 8 | IN THE MATTER OF NAVAJO WATER) DOCKET NO. W-03511A-04-0905 COMPANY, INC. FILING FOR A | | |
| 9 CURTAILMENT PLAN TARIFF BECISION NO | | | |
| 10 |) ORDER | | |
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| 12 | Open Meeting | | |
| 13 | April 5 and 6, 2005 Phoenix, Arizona | | |
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| 15 | BY THE COMMISSION: | | |
| 16 | <u>FINDINGS OF FACT</u> | | |
| 17 | 1. Navajo Water Company, Inc. ("Company") is certificated to provide water as a | | |
| 18 | public service corporation in the State of Arizona. | | |
| 19 | 2. On December 17, 2004, the Company filed for a curtailment plan tariff. | | |
| 20 | 3. The Company is proposing to add a provision for a "reconnection fee for violation" | | |
| 21 | during the mandatory Stage 3, 4 and 5 conditions, when outdoor watering is prohibited. The | | |
| 22 | Company's proposed tariff differs from Staff's general tariff template that is posted on the | | |
| 23 | Commission's website. | | |
| 24 | 4. On January 20, 2005, in Decision No. 67512, the Commission suspended the tariff | | |
| 25 | filing for a period of ninety days, through and including April 16, 2005. This request was granted | | |
| 26 | so that Staff would have more time to review the application. | | |
| 27 | 5. Commission Staff has completed its review. | | |
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| 1 | 6. | The Company has requested a suspension in order to file a W | | | |
| 2 | Tariff to assist in recovering costs incurred for bulk water purchases and | | | | |
| 3 | combination with the curtailment tariff. | | | | |
| 4 | 7. | The Company needs additional time to docket this supplemental | | | |
| 5 | and requests that this filing be suspended for an additional 60 days. | | | | |
| 6 | · | CONCLUSIONS OF LAW | | | |
| 7 | 1. | The Company is an Arizona public service corporation with | | | |
| 8 | Article XV, Section 2, of the Arizona Constitution. | | | | |
| 9 | 2. | The Commission has jurisdiction over the Company and of the | | | |
| 10 | this Application. | | | | |
| 11 | 3. | The Commission having reviewed the filing and Staff's M | | | |
| 12 | March 17, 2005, concludes that it is in the public interest to suspend the filing | | | | |
| 13 | pursuant to A.R.S. §40-250(B). | | | | |
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| 1 | <u>ORDER</u> | | | | | |
| 2 | IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that this tariff filing be and is hereby suspended for a | | | | | |
| 3 | period of sixty (60) days, through and including June 15, 2005. | | | | | |
| 4 | IT IS FURTHER ORDE | RED that this Order shall become e | ffective immediately. | | | |
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| 7 | BY THE ORDER OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION | | | | | |
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| 10 | COMMISSIONER COMMISSIONER | | | | | |
| 11 | | IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I | BRIAN C. McNEIL, Executive | | | |
| 12 | | Secretary of the Arizona C | Corporation Commission, have caused the official seal of this | | | |
| 13 | | Commission to be affixed a | at the Capitol, in the City of | | | |
| 14 | | Phoenix, thisday o | of, 2005. | | | |
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| 17 | | BRIAN C. McNEIL | | | | |
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